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BENDER CHALLENGES SELECTMAN

Wilmington's most controversial selectman is matched for re-election against Lloyd Bender of Salem Street, and Edward Forrest of Clyde Avenue.

Nick De Felice's dispute with the Wilmington Board of Health over his admittedly illegal dumping operation is expected to exert substantial influence on the town elections in March.

Bender, who received a surprisingly heavy vote last year, is given a fighting chance to defeat incumbent DeFelice in the only contest for Selectman.

The third candidate, Ed y Forrest, filed papers for Selectman last year, but withdrew before the election. He is chairman of the Wilmington Housing Authority.

FIVE IN SCHOOL BOARD BATTLE



Lynch



Robertie

Arthur V. Lynch and George Robertie, incumbent members of

the Wilmington School Committee are being challenged by three contestants, in the coming race for election to the school board.

Ernest Crispo, former member of the School Board, now a member of the Wilmington Housing Authority has filed against the two incumbents.

Arthur J. Brewster, Dorchester Avenue contractor and builder, has filed papers for the third year seeking a seat on the school board. Brewster gained more votes each time he ran, and last year was less than 100 votes short of election. It is believed that he has a very good chance of election this year.

The fifth candidate, Joseph A. Paglia of Nichols Street, has also been a candidate in past elections. He is well known in Wilmington as an official of Little League, and for his civic efforts. He is expected to have a strong union backing, because of his business career.

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A VERY SUCCESSFUL BOOK SALE: Held in the High School Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, by the members of the National Honor Society, resulted in the sale of about 1500 paper backs to the students. The work was conducted by the members of the society, and all the proceeds are to be applied to the High School Scholarship Fund.



Challenger Brewster

Arthur J. Brewster of Dorchester Street has announced his candidacy for election to the Wilmington School Committee.

A graduate of Wilmington High School, Mr. Brewster received his BS Degree in Education from the Brookline State College, and has completed twenty seven hours of graduate study at the Salem State College.

Among his academic accomplishments can be included original research in the field of reading, and the study of Massachusetts School Law under the tutelage of Mr. Robinson, counsel for the Brookline School Committee and for the Massachusetts Regional Schools Department.

Mr. Brewster is married and has two daughters.

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The sole survivor of an airplane crash in Pennsylvania, last September, in which her husband and two others were killed, Mrs. Wescott is still in a hospital in Chambersburg, Penna.

Her friends are hoping to raise enough money to bring her home, and to help defray a part of the hospital bills. Contributions may be sent to Robert Welch, Collector, First Baptist Church, 173 Church Street.

Mrs. Wescott is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Reardon of Marion Street. She suffered a broken back, and was severely burned in the crash which took the life of her husband and of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Russell, of 164 Main Street.



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HIGH PRICED EXECUTIVES - HOW MUCH?

When Cecil Lancaster left Wilmington to go to another community, this paper hoped that it would be the last that would have to be written about him. It was approached by people from that other community, but refused to take any part in the discussions going on there.

A week ago it turned out that Wilmington had \$20,000 sitting in the state treasury, just waiting for someone to come and claim it, for use in dredging. (The same story happened in another community, in this state - but that's another story).

Monday night the Selectmen's meeting had copies of a second letter which had been written to Fred Arsenault, of the Finance Committee, saying in effect that the Division of Waterways had forgotten to notify the town of the \$20,000.

This was immediately seized upon by the Lowell paper as 'proof' that the Wilmington officials were exonerated. It can be presumed that it will also be seized upon by the throw-away papers, as further proof.

The purpose of writing letters, from the state to Selectmen, is that in most of the towns in this state there is no high priced business executive, who gets his pay raised by the Selectmen, for doing such excellent work. The Selectmen of East Osh-Kosh, to name a town, have to be notified, and the state recognizes this, in its letters.

But with a high priced executive, getting over \$10,000 a year - do we adopt the East OshKosh excuse as a valid reason for not knowing what is going on?

Lancaster went with Representative Tanner to the hearing. Tanner says this. Lancaster knew of the proposals. The report came across his desk, in a book that reports the doings of the legislature.

It would seem that Mr Lancaster didn't have the curiosity to open that book, and find out what happened.

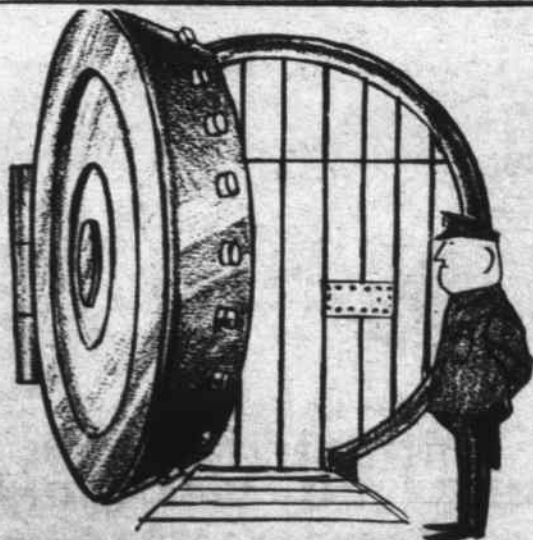
Mr Tanner says that Lancaster knew. Mr. Tanner is known as Mr Integrity, in the State House.

And if Wilmington is going to adopt the East OshKosh excuse, it might as well get rid of high powered executives, and really become East Osh-Kosh.

QUESTIONS ON LOWELL STREET

True to their promise of last summer the Selectmen held a 'hearing' Monday night for the purpose of informing some interested persons on what the Selectmen's plans are for Lowell Street.

The County engineers, it has turned out, as reported in this paper a couple of weeks ago,



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SUSIE'S SONNETS

by Sylvia Neilson

DOUGH-FUL TUNE

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Into the Baker affair,

Where the dollar sign's a-shining

With a lurid air.

had recommended a sixty foot right of way. They felt that four lanes, each 11 feet wide, was the minimum.

There is a lot to be said for this. Lowell Street will eventually have to be constructed at this width.

But did the Selectmen give all the information they had to the citizens? Have the Selectmen, for instance, had any letters from industrial companies, on the subject, and doesn't that come under the heading of information? Just to say that the street is going to be forty-four feet wide, and with sidewalks it will be sixty feet wide, and to arouse antagonism, doesn't quite fill the bill of 'information'.

And there are still other points - some of which were discussed in the 'hearing'.

This proposal will leave Lowell Street the type of bottleneck that Wilmington Square would have enjoyed had the proposals for Urban Renewal been accepted - just as they were. There will be a bottle neck at each end.

It means, too, a lot of expenses that the town might be able to forego, if it exercises a little patience.

A Chapter 90 project on Lowell Street would last three or four years. It would not be a job that would be done, and over with. Salem Street, not as wide, took three years for about the same distance.

If the town were to wait a few months, before jumping to the decision, it might very well be that NASA would locate somewhere north of Wilmington, on Route 93. This, with the increase of traffic which is due to come when the Boston end of 93 is completed, will mean that the State and Federal engineers will have to take cognizance of the need for a full clover-leaf at 93.

When that day arrives - and it might not be too far in the future - the State will have to widen Lowell Street, as one of the approaches to the clover leaf. Not only would the state then be paying for the paving, instead of the town, for Lowell Street, but, what could be more important, the state would also have to pay for the land takings.

As things now stand, if the Selectmen's proposals are carried out, the town will have to pay for the land takings, and considering the tempers of the people on that street, such landtakings could be a costly procedure.

It would seem that a lot is to be gained, and nothing lost, if we wait a year or so before taking any action.

AREA PASSES \$4 1/2 MILLION MARK IN HOME BUILDING

By Robert E. Stewart, President
Mechanics Savings Bank

A total of \$499,600 recorded during the final month brought home construction to a 12-month figure of \$4,721,350 for 1963 in the North Reading-Reading-Wilmington area compared with \$3,768,120 for 1962 as follows (with corresponding 1962 totals in parentheses): North Reading \$938,750 (\$1,352,300); Reading \$1,742,900 (\$825,900) and Wilmington \$2,039,700 (\$1,589,920). Additions, alterations and repairs to all types of existing structures, both residential and commercial, came to \$1,311,510 (\$1,005,430) as follows: North Reading \$328,675 (\$132,900) Reading \$240,635 (\$726,250) and Wilmington \$742,200 (\$146,280). Total deeds and mortgages recorded in the area for 1963 came to 1835 in 1963 and 1951 in 1962. The individual totals for the comparable periods were: North Reading 511 (550); Reading 827 (851) and Wilmington 496 (550).

USE OF HIGH SCHOOL FOR RELIGIOUS SEMINAR DENIED.

Several weeks ago the School Committee was asked by the Wilmington Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses if the High School might be used, for a Religious Seminar.

A letter accompanying the request told the School Committee that the seminar would include prayers and the singing of hymns, among other items in the agenda.

The School Committee voted to ask the advice of the Town Counsel, and a reply was read in last night's meeting, signed by Roy Hammer, an associate of Town Counsel Philip Buzzell.

Mr Hammer thought that it would be inadvisable, and cited several statutes and opinions which bore on the question.

The committee then voted to so inform the writers of the letter.

NEW DIRECTORS FOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Robert P Sumberg, president of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, has announced the names of newly elected members of the Board of Directors. The recent election now brings the board to a full eighteen members, as required in the Chamber by-laws.

Elected to the board, with terms expiring December 31, 1966 were: David Blackman of the D F Munroe Company; Fred F Cain of Fred F Cain Inc; Davenport Davis, Middlesex County National Bank; Dr Gerald Davis, Optometrist; Dr. Henry Foster, Charles River Breeding Laboratories; and James Raffi of Raffi & Swanson.

Directors whose terms expire on Dec 31 1965 are: Bennett Bedell of Bedell Brothers, John Caliso of Silver Lake Hardware; Don Greer of the JW Greer Company; Richard Tufenkijian of Sweetheart Plastics and Mrs Lillian Woodside of the Wilmington Center Pharmacy.

Directors whose terms expire on Dec 31 1964 are Attorney Alan Altman, Bob Evans, Robert Clark of Clark Real Estate, Raymond McNamara of McNamara Tire Co and Robert Sumberg, of Avco and Frank Griffin of the Church Street Hardware.

WILMINGTON POLICE STUDY AT NORTHEASTERN

Three of the Sergeants of the Wilmington Police Department are enrolled in Northeastern University, studying Police Procedure.

Sgts. Charles Ellsworth, John Imblinbo and George Shepard are spending one night a week at the University, in a course conducted by Capt. Healy of the Providence (RI) Police Department.

The course is a comprehensive one, covering many details of police work, such as arresting and booking, presentation of evidence, and advanced studies in police work. It will last sixteen weeks. Two credits are to be given towards a Bachelors degree in Law Enforcement.

Sgt. Ellsworth is also enrolled in a course in Criminal Law.

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OPEN EVENINGS

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE AND THE PEOPLE

An Open Letter, from the Wilmington Finance Committee, is included in this week's issue of the Town Crier. It is worth reading.

This committee exists for the purpose of conducting independent studies on the proposed expenditures of the town. As such it is valuable. Their existence is by state statute, and the law is a wise one.

There have been times in the past when the Wilmington Finance Committee has been a little arrogant, but this seems now to be nothing but a memory. The present membership seeks to be more a part of the town, and to be of value to its fellow citizens. They have undertaken some studies, and have produced items of definite value. It is to be regretted that the members do not have more time.

The 'hearing' next Monday is basically for the purpose of informing the Finance Committee of things which they should know, in order to arrive at an intelligent decision. It is not a place for proponents and opponents to engage in arguments, but both can inform the Finance Committee members of their own viewpoints.

Persons who are sponsoring any particular legislation or article for the Annual Town Meeting should be certain to attend - or they may possibly get a negative response as a reply to their lack of interest.

The people of Wilmington can well be pleased at the fact that the Finance Committee is anxious to have voters attend the hearing. Perhaps some of the citizens may see fit to do this.

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE AND THE SELECTMEN

A couple of years ago the Finance Committee cut out a \$10,000 item, for granite curbstones, from the Highway Department budget. Considering that the town had had a few bad years of 'do-nothingism' the move was a wise one - although granite is far superior to the bitumastic type of curbstone that is being put in some places, even though more expensive.

The Selectman who seemed to be hit hardest by the news that the Finance Committee had cut the Highway Department budget was John Brooks. He explained to a Hobson Avenue resident that the reason there was no dredging in that area was because the budget had been cut - although what connection there is between granite and muddy back yards is hard to understand.

And it doesn't seem to have been forgotten. The Selectmen did all their discussions for the 1964 budget in either 'executive' or 'whispering' session, and when the Finance Committee got around to trying to talk with the Selectmen, asking their opinions, they got nowhere - at least so far into the year.

It would seem that not all granite is in the curbstones.

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES
AT METHODIST CHURCH

Lenten observances at the Wilmington Methodist Church are to begin on Ash Wednesday with the celebration of the Lord's Supper at 7:30 pm. All are invited to join in the beginning of our Lenten pilgrimage.

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Beauty Lounge	16	0
Pineridge Cleaners	14	2
Photon	14	2
Ryan's Hdwe	8	8
Polcaro II	8	8
Mytron I	6	10
Mytron II	6	10
Wilmington JCs	4	12
Polcaro I	2	14
N Wilm Pharmacy	2	14

High Singles
J Cook 191, J Cook 189, B Rankin 179

T Bryant 206, J Castellano 196, T Blanco 191

High Triples
J Cook 546, B Rankin 438, S Keegan 415
C Knight 540, T Bryant 533, J Castellano 529.

RESERVES BOWLING LEAGUE

	W	L
Diehards	54	18
Hoboes	42	30
Specs	39	33
Rollo's	35	37
T Birds	28	44
5 Aces	22	50

Individual Standings

	Str	Avg
C Cote	51	94.28
G Gordon	54	93.33
R Ingalls	51	93.20
P Page	54	92.31
B Parsons	54	89.26
T Crowley	51	89.11
M Dias	45	88.39
R Boudreau	54	86.44
L Viera	54	86.35
E Sidelinker	48	85.36

Team Single & Triple
Diehards; 522 - 1440
Ind. Single and Triple
P Page; 127 - 322

WILMINGTON WOMENS
BOWLING LEAGUE

Carole Cote	95.47
Helen Witham	95.18
Joan Doucette	91.47
Rita Ingalls	91.34
Bertha Parsons	90.27
Peg Fuller	90.19
Marge Craik	89.41
Marie Butler	89.38
Peg Baker	89.22
Mary Paulsen	89.20

Team Standings

1 Underdogs, 2 Atomettes, 3 Pace Setters, 4 Top Hats, 5 Silver Lake Rex, 6 Lucky Five, 7 The Jets, 8 Comets.

Peg Baker has her bowling arm back in shape. She rolled a single of 124, and a triple of 326 this week. Our Banquet is to be held in the Palm Gardens, in Peabody.

NORTH END STRIKERS

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D & D Gulf	71
Wilson's Trucking Svce	70
Wilm. Construction	68
Anderson's Bakery	68
Sanitation Engrng	62

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The law requires that the voters signatures be exactly the same as it appears on the voting list. If a middle initial appears on the voting list it must also appear on the nomination papers. If there is no middle initial, then the voting list signature must have no middle initial.

Walter Gustus of Brand Avenue, a declared candidate for reelection to the Housing Authority, had plenty of signatures, when he filed his papers with the clerk of the Board of Registrars.

But the Board of Registrars, Tuesday night, found that enough of the signatures were invalid so as to leave Mr Gustus with only 48 valid ones.

50 are required for the nomination.

M Flora Kasabuski, of Latte Road, the only other candidate for the post, had sufficient signatures.

An attorney, and a past member of the Housing Authority, Mrs. Kasabuski was declared a candidate, by the Board of Registrars.

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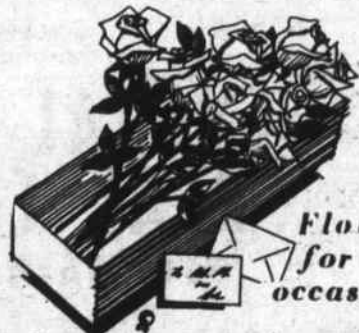
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NATIONAL POLYCHEMICALS SOLD TO BRITISH FIRM

National Polychemicals Inc. of Eames Street, one of the major firms of Wilmington, which located here in 1952, has been sold to the British firm of Fisons, Ltd., a major producer of chemicals in the United Kingdom. The reported purchase price is \$7,000,000, for the Wilmington firm and its affiliated plant in Conway, North Carolina.

The sale was approved on January 27th by the Directors of the American Biltrite Rubber Co. Inc. of Chelsea, and announced by President Edward V Osberg of National Polychemicals later in the same week.

and selling ethical pharmaceuticals and proprietary drug products. It has subsidiaries in Europe, South Africa, Rhodesia, India, Australia, the Sudan, and many other parts of the world.

Through its Whiffens chemical subsidiary, Fisons produces hydrazine, which is a primary raw material for the National Polychemicals line of Kempore foaming agents for plastics, and National Polychemicals and its customers will now get the benefit of the Whiffens research and know-how on the use of foaming agents for various end-use applications. The Whiffens firm is one of the world's foremost producers of hydrazine-based blowing agents.

In addition to producing Hydrazine-derived blowing agents, National Polychemicals is the largest producer of nitroamine blowing agents in the United States. It also manufactures rubber antioxidants and other specialty chemicals for the rubber and plastics industries. National Polychemicals recently started production in a new hydrazine plant based on a unique process, for which patents have been applied on a world wide basis.

The Wilmington and North Carolina plants of National Polychemicals produce a complete line of phenol and urea formaldehyde resins for hardboard, particle board plywood, decorative laminates, and other industrial applications.

President Edward V Osberg of National Polychemicals has stated that the firm will continue operations as in the past, and with the same personnel. It is expected, he says, that the company will now be brought into new areas of technical activity, leading to new developments in the foaming of rubber and plastics materials.

Edward V. Osberg, President,
 National Polychemicals Inc.

Fisons is the largest manufacturer of wide range of agricultural chemicals and pesticides. It is also active in the pharmaceutical field, with divisions manufacturing

BREWSTER
 (From Fr. Pg)

'One of the prime reasons for my candidacy as a member of your school Committee is concern about the education of your children. I also feel that my education, experience (as a classroom teacher for two years, one of which was a teacher of English for the academically talented) and my experience as a principal and as a direct agent of a school committee, together with my present position as a local businessman, affords me a background that will be a great asset in the performance of the duties as a member of your school committee'.

RAINBOW GIRLS
MOTHERS CULB

The Mothers Club of the Order of Rainbow of Girls, will meet on February 13th at the Masonic Hall

from 7:30 to 10 pm., while the regular meeting of the Rainbow Girls is being conducted in the upper apartment.

The club will conduct a regular business meeting, which will be followed by a hat sale.

LWV TO SUPPORT
MASTER PLAN POLICIES
 (A statement by the Wilmington League of Women Voters)

With the completion of a year of study on the zoning needs in Wilmington, members of the League of Women Voters have agreed that the most important need of the town in regard to planning and zoning is a Master Plan. Therefore the League will work to support policies leading to the adoption of a Master Plan for Wilmington.

A comprehensive plan is a blueprint for future development which answers three questions: What

does the town have now? What kind of town do we want? How do we get the kind of town we want?

The plan itself is made up of many elements. These include a land use plan, a traffic circulation plan, a plan for public facilities such as schools, libraries, and recreational facilities, and a plan for public utilities, such as water, sewer and drainage systems. These are all coordinated into an overall plan for the town to guide future development.

Many of the preliminary studies which are used as a basis for a Master Plan have already been done in Wilmington.

The town adopted a zoning map in 1955, which serves as a guide for future land use. In addition, detailed studies have been completed and recommendations made concerning a school building program, a land acquisition program for future recreation and conservation areas, and a schedule for the programming of large expenditures for needed town projects. Some of these recommendations are currently being followed.

As part of an overall comprehensive plan for the town, the League of Women Voters will encourage the establishment of a land acquisition program for future schools and town facilities, the designation of land for future recreation and conservation areas, and the establishment of a Conservation Commission.

Because the 1955 Zoning by-law and map was intended as a guide for future land use, the League feels that any changes which would alter the present zoning philosophy or character of the town, would not be in the best interests of good planning, unless a Master Plan indicates the necessity for such changes.

In order to acquaint the citizens of Wilmington with Master Planning the League will hold coffee hours in different parts of the town.

Anyone who is interested in this subject and who wishes to sponsor a coffee hour, may contact Mrs. Henry Sullivan, Zoning Chairman, at OL 8 4394. Members of the League will also be available to speak at any interested organizations.

LEGION NOTES

Past Commander Carl Dreger had a recent accident at his home when he fell and broke his shoulder and forearm. He is at the VA Hospital in Jamaica Plain. Comrade Fred Brancone is still in the St. Johns Hospital in Lowell having skin grafts, on his legs, for the burns suffered in a fire in his home recently. Both would appreciate cards or visits from their friends.

Last Thursday the Post entertained their friends with a blitz party, which was enjoyed by all. There is to be another, next Wednesday. Saturday of this week the Post will entertain, with a beef supper.

Mrs. George Robertie, 100 Woburn Street, has resigned from the Board of Directors of the League of Women Voters, in keeping with the non-partisan policy of the league. Mrs. Robertie was also the Foreign Policy Chairman. Her husband is a candidate for election to public office in Wilmington.

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OPEN LETTER TO THE
VOTERS OF WILMINGTON

Each year, the Finance Committee is charged, by State Statute, to report a recommended budget for the coming year to the Town Meeting. This report is an independent document, presented by the Finance Committee to the voters of the Town. This responsibility is placed upon the Finance Committee by the General Laws of the Commonwealth, Chapter 39, Section 16, which reads as follows:

'Every town whose valuation for the purposes of apportioning the state tax exceeds one million dollars shall be by-law provide for the election or appointment and duties of appropriation, Advisory or Finance Committees, who shall consider any or all municipal questions for the purpose of making reports or recommendations to the town. In every town having a committee appointed under the authority of this Section, such committee shall submit a budget at the Annual Town Meeting.'

In order that the Finance Committee of the Town of Wilmington may report a realistic and factual budget recommendation at the Town Meeting, each and every item in the Town Manager's Budget Request is carefully investigated and considered. In addition, Department Heads are interviewed in order that departmental requests may also be considered. All warrant articles which the Selectmen forward to the Finance Committee are also carefully considered.

There remains still one other step which must be taken in order that the Finance Committee may vote a budget recommendation with all possible information in their possession. The voters of the Town must be given an opportunity to express their views on any item appearing on the Warrant of the Annual Town Meeting.

Therefore, on February 10th 1964, the Finance Committee will hold an open hearing at the Barrows Auditorium in the High School at 8 pm. All requested budget items will be read, as well as all warrant articles which the Selectmen have forwarded by that date. This meeting is being held for the voters of the Town to be heard before any official action is taken by the Finance Committee on either budget items or warrant articles.

We urge all voters who can possibly do so, to attend this meeting.

George Boylen, Chairman
Richard Barry, Vice Chairman

ST THOMAS CYO NEWS

The annual ski trip sponsored by the St Thomas CYO is scheduled for Feb 24-5. Those going will attend Mass at 6 am. A ski social is being planned for Friday Feb. 21st, for those taking part in the trip.

Final payments due for the trip must be paid by the day of the party.

A Mardi Gras dance is to be held on Feb 11th with WMEX's Fenway as DJ.

The CYO play, entitled 'Tattle-tale', is to be presented on Feb. 29th and March 1st. Complimentary tickets are to be given to the residents of the Deming Way project.

NOW IT'S EAST GATE



THE MERCHANTS AT LUCCP'S HAVE VOTED FOR A NEW NAME FOR THEIR SHOPPING CENTER: EAST GATE.

Above: Pat Barden stops to admire the display she is getting ready for her grand opening, this weekend, at Barden the Florist, and; Below: Mort Kristal, of the Kristal Pharmacy, welcomes a few new friends, in his pharmacy.

Left to Right: Mrs Robert Leahy, Jeffry Dick, Mrs Robert Dick, all of Woburn Street, and Mort, behind the counter.

SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENUS
Week of Feb 10

High School

Monday: Juice, Grilled Frankfurter Roll, Potato Chips, Whole Kernel Corn, Peaches with Cream Milk.

Tuesday: Meat Loaf with Gravy Mashed Potatoes, Buttered Peas, Carrot Sticks, Bread & Butter, Chocolate Cream Pie, Milk.

Wednesday: American Style Pizza, Fluffy Rice, Buttered Spinach, Cucumber Chips, Pineapple Delight, Milk.

Thursday: Italian Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, Green Salad, Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich, Jelly Doughnut, Milk.

Friday: Oven Baked Haddock with Tartare Sauce, Parslled Potatoes, Buttered Green Beans, Bread & Butter, Apple Crisp, Milk.

Wildwood, Glen Road, Boutwell and North Schools

Monday: Juice, Cheeseburger on

Roll, Fluffy Rice, Buttered Peas, Scooter Pie, Milk.

Tuesday: Dagwood Junior, Potato Chips, Buttered Green Beans, Ice Cream, Milk.

Wednesday: American Style Pizza, Buttered Noodles, Spinach, Cucumber Chips, Chocolate Cream Pie, Milk.

Thursday: Meat Loaf with Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Buttered Beets, Bread & Butter, Jelly Doughnut, Milk.

Friday: Over-Baked Fish Sticks, Tartare Sauce, Mashed Potatoes, Buttered Whole Kernel Corn, Carrot Sticks, Bread & Butter, Fruit Jello - Topping, Milk.

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MEET NEXT MONDAY

There is to be a meeting of the High School Boosters Athletic Association, next Monday, at the home of Mrs Peg Page, 32 Grove Avenue starting at 8 pm.

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CIVIL SERVICE LAW PASSED BY LEGISLATURE

The question of whether or not Wilmington is to accept Civil Service is to appear as a referendum question, in the annual Town Meeting of 1964.

The Wilmington Town Employees Association, organized shortly after Principal Assessor Stanley Webber was fired, last fall, succeeded, Tuesday, in having the legislature pass a bill through both the House of Representatives and the Senate. Governor Peabody then signed the bill, in the same day.

Arthur B. Harper and Robert Palmer, of the association, spent the day in the state house, in the company of Rep. Thomas Donahue and Senator James Long, both of Woburn. The two legislators assisted Harper and Palmer to assure quick passage of the bill.

The news broke in the Town Hall Wednesday afternoon, and resulted in a quick call to Town Counsel Philip Buzzell, on the part of Town Manager Gerald Bouchard.

The warrants for the Town Meeting have already been printed, Mr. Bouchard said, and he believes

that he can print some 'supplementary' warrants to cover the situation.

As enacted the bill (Chapter 30 of the Acts of 1964) poses a question for the voters which reads: "Shall an act, passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and sixty-four, entitled 'An Act placing certain offices and positions in the town of Wilmington under the civil service law and rules' be accepted?"

If a majority of the voters vote in the affirmative the act will then take effect.

All full time offices and positions in Wilmington, except that of the Town Manager are within the scope of the bill, which specifically includes the heads of all departments including that of the Superintendent of Schools.

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NEW DIPHTHERIA TEST ASSURED FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN

Funds were voted in the School Committee meeting, last night, which will assure that every school child in Wilmington will be able to take the new 'Time' test for diphtheria.

Described by the Wilmington Board of Health as a much more positive, and much easier test than the Schick test, formerly given, the town found itself in a position where, due to a lack of funds, it would only be able to test those children in the first, fourth, seventh and twelfth grades this year.

The Wilmington Department of Public Health felt that it was desirable that all the school children be tested, and have discussed the subject of ways and means in their last several meetings.

Only \$200 was available. The

Board of Health felt that it needed \$500 more.

A letter to the School Committee which was read in last night's meeting, resulted in a vote by that board of an additional \$400.

The board felt that the money would be sufficient to do all the 4000 pupils of the public schools, but were disturbed when they were told that the state laws do not allow any child to take the test unless there is a written consent of the parents or guardians.

The School Committee feeling was that if a few children were not tested it could possibly be those who would turn out to be diphtheria carriers, and instructed the Superintendent of Schools to investigate the statutes more closely.

REPUBLICAN TOWN COMMITTEE NEWS

A change of date has been made for the next meeting of the Wilmington Town Republican Committee. The new meeting date is February 18th at 8 pm at the DAV Hall on Grove Avenue.

According to Mrs. Wavie Drew, Chairman, she has been busy with administrative duties since this is an election year, and the pre-primary election is to be held in April.

Mr. McGlennon of Concord has been appointed by the State Committee to assist the local Town Committees. He has called on Mrs. Drew, and many matters were discussed, which he and Mrs. Drew will discuss at the meeting at the DAV Hall on Feb. 18th.

Mr. Palmer, an aide to State Chairman Dumaine, will also speak to the committee that night, and the committee feels that is imperative that all members make every effort to attend the meeting.

Mrs. Drew has announced that Ralph Bens of the Young Republicans of Reading has invited the

committee to attend their meeting on Wednesday, February 19th at the Reading Community Hall, (old High School) to hear ex-Governor Volpe, Senator Graham and ex-Representative Francis Perry, all of whom will be present, speak.

WILMINGTON FORD AND RAYTHEON TIE 1 - 1

The Wilmington Ford Hockey team came from behind to tie Raytheon 1 - 1, Monday night, at McHugh's.

Ralph Tarricone's goal, late in the game tied the score for Wilmington, with an assist going to Mickie and Nickerson on the picture goal.

Raytheon scored in the first period on a goal by Osgood from a scramble in front of the goal.

Both goalies made great saves and played an important part in the battle for first place in the Route 128 Hockey League.

Both teams are still tied at 21 points apiece, but Wilmington has three games to go, and Raytheon only two, before the season ends.

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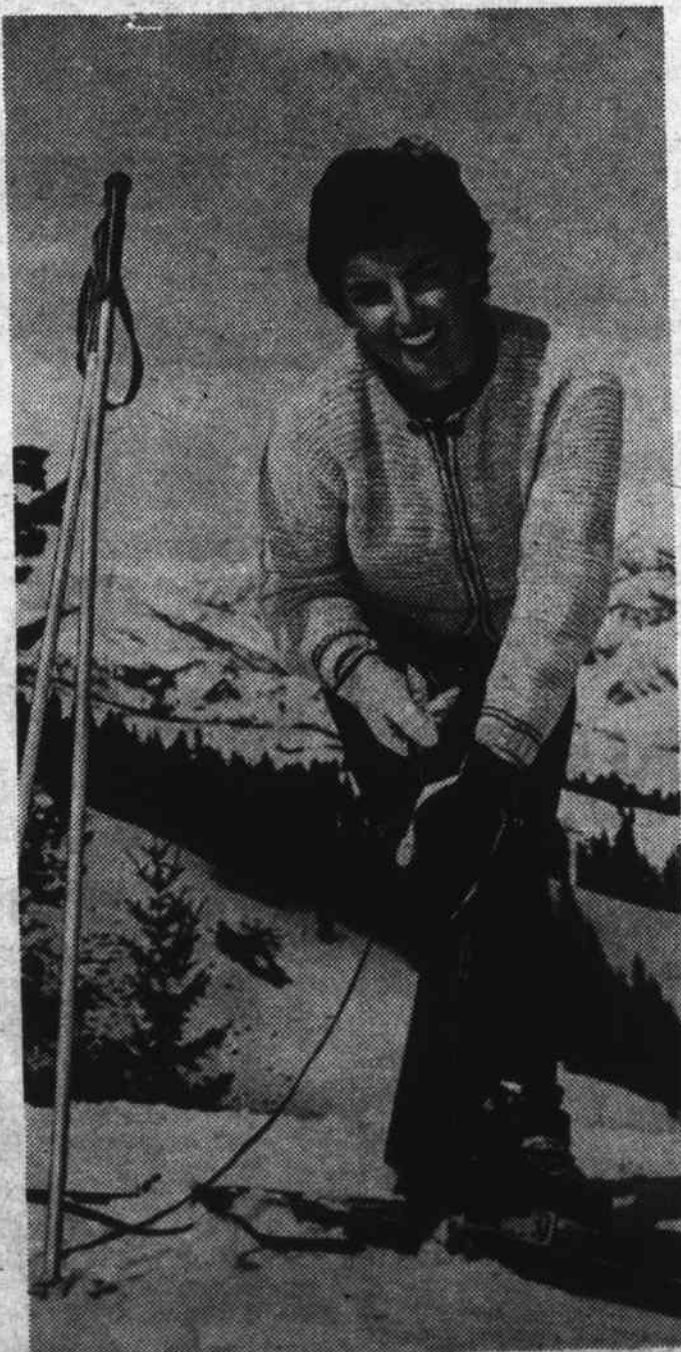
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CATHOLIC LAITY TO TRAIN
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A campaign to train more Catholic laity as teachers of religion gets underway locally next month as part of an archdiocesan program.

Under the direction of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD) the program is aimed at preparing laymen to use the latest teaching methods in instruction of Catholic students who are attending public schools.

The accelerated program for instruction of potential teachers, as well as those now participating, is the result of Richard Cardinal Cushing's exhortation that the religious education of public school students is 'the greatest program that can be sponsored by the Church in modern times'.

It is Cardinal Cushing's objective to enlist enough lay people, both men and women, to permit smaller classes during religious instruction, and to relieve the heavy burdens of the sisters who in addition to teaching full-time in parochial schools and other Catholic schools are also frequently engaged in teaching religion to the youth and children who attend public schools.

The Methods Course will be given on two levels, for instructors of grade school and high school students.

According to Rev. Russell Novello, Archdiocesan CCD Director, the courses include psychological study, lesson planning and presentation, and demonstration or practice sessions.

He added that antiquated teaching methods have been replaced by a new psychological approach, with new texts that reflect the use of the Bible and liturgy as well as theology as basic sources of Christian Doctrine.

Due to start in February, the courses will be given in this area at the following parishes:

Vurlington, St. Margaret's Parish, 109 Winn St.; beginning Tuesday, February 11 at 7:30 pm; High School and Elementary Courses, Lowell, Keith Academy, 201 Thorndike St.; beginning Wednesday,

February 12 at 7:30, Men only. Lowell, Keith Hall, 530 Stevens St. beginning Thursday, February 13 Lowell, St. Rita Parish Hall, 150 Mammoth Rd; beginning Wednesday, February 12, at 7:30 pm, Elementary only.

Winchester: St. Mary's Grammar School, Washington St.; beginning Monday February 10th at 7:30, elementary only.

Woburn, St. Barbara's Parish, 138 Cambridge Rd; beginning Wednesday March 4, at 8:00 pm, High School and Elementary.

Stoneham: beginning Tuesday February 11, 7:30; Elementary at St. Patrick School Hall, Central St., High School, Knights of Columbus Hall, 4 Spring St.

Wakefield: beginning Thursday, Feb 13, 7:30; Elementary, St. Joseph's School Hall, 15 Gould St.; High School, Nazareth Academy, 14 Jordan St.

The 12 week indoctrination course will be made up of 1 1/2 hour sessions. Further details concerning the courses may be obtained by contacting a local parish or Rev. Paul W. Berube, St. Thomas Rectory, Wilmington.

DAVID PARK TO TRAIN AT
CAMP LEJEUNE, N.C.

Marine Private David C. Park, son of Mr and Mrs Philip S Park of 267 Ballardvale St., completed recruit training Feb. 5 at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S.C.

The training included drill, bayonet training, physical conditioning, parades and ceremonies and other military subjects. Three weeks were spent on the rifle range firing the M-14 rifle and other infantry weapons. He is now at Camp Lejeune, NC, for combat infantry training.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev Robert C Smith, Pastor

Sunday: 9:30-10:30 am Sunday School. 11:00-12:00 am Morning Worship Service. 'With The Best of Intentions' - Text: I Kings 8:18. 5:30-6:30 am Baptist Youth Fellowship Junior, Junior High and Senior High. 7:00 pm Evening Service 'Twice-Born Men'.

Monday 7:30 pm Men's Christian Fellowship. Tuesday 7:30 pm Building Committee will be meeting with Harold Knight Associates Architects. Wednesday: 7:30 pm Hour of Power Meeting. 8:30 pm Choir Rehearsal.

WILMINGTON COP ASSISTED
IN NEAR RESCUE

Officer John Harvey of the Wilmington waded into the icy waters of the Shawsheen River yesterday in a vain attempt to save the life of a seven year old Billerica boy.

The boy, Michael Veinot of 361 Salem Street Billerica, had ventured out onto thin ice, while playing near the river shore.

Officer Harvey, who was wet up to his neck was nearby in a Wilmington cruiser at the time of the accident.

He recovered the boys' body, and applied mouth to mouth resuscitation, to no avail.

The Billerica Fire Department used oxygen, in a vain attempt to revive life, but he was pronounced dead at the scene by Dr. George Boynton of Billerica.

PROPOSE HOCKEY FOR
HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS

Letters to the School Committee read last night in their regular meeting proposed that the board consider enlarging the High School Hockey program.

One of the letters was from Carl Backman of Chestnut Street, father of the famous 'Flying Backmans' of a few years past (United States National Champions, Speed Skating). Mr Backman was the founder of the Wilmington Skating Club.

The other letter was from Al and Flora Kasabuski of Laite Road

Mr Backman, in his letter, pointed out that the new Billerica Sports Arena, now planned will have facilities for hockey, and felt that a school league would soon be formed. He urged that the school Committee consider this, and the advisability of having hockey for an inter school sport, instead of an interscholastic sport, as it is now.

The letter met a mixed reaction from the school committee members, and the vote was to delay any action until more information could be obtained. The School Superintendent was directed to have information for the next meeting.

Dick Keene of the board felt that he 'needed a couple of weeks' to think things over, and to see how others felt about the idea.

Glen Connolly was not in favor if it meant using the rink at 2 am as is now the case with other hockey teams.

Chairman Arthur V Lynch said that there were many questions to be answered, some of them being the costs to the town. He did not subscribe, he said, to any thought that hockey would improve the scholastic standings of the players, except possibly in an incidental way.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the estate of John C. Elia late of Wilmington in said County, deceased. A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that Michael Elia of Wilmington in the County of Middlesex be appointed administrator of said estate, without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object there to you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourteenth day of February 1964, the return day of this citation.

Witness JOHN C. LEGGAT, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January 1964.

John V Harvey,
Register.

TOWN OF WILMINGTON



FINANCE COMMITTEE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
A Public Hearing on the Warrant and Town Budget for 1964 will be held by the Finance Committee in the Herbert C. Barrows Auditorium of the Wilmington High School, on Monday February 10, 1964, at 8:00 p.m.
Ralph H. Biggar, Secretary
Wilmington Finance Committee
F6

BOARD OF APPEALS

PUBLIC HEARING 7-64
A public hearing will be held in the Town Hall at 8 pm Feb.

18, 1964 on the application of Louise M Carbone, 32 Tanglewood Lane, Tewksbury, to have a sign larger than permitted in a NB district on the building at 333 Burlington Avenue.

Louis E Gage, Chmn.
J30, F6 Board of Appeals

BOARD OF APPEALS

PUBLIC HEARING 8-64
A public hearing will be held in the Town Hall at 8 pm Feb. 18, 1964 on the application of Frank Murray, 6 Morse Ave to build a garage with a 20 foot sideyard in a SRA district.

Louis E Gage, Chmn.
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BOARD OF APPEALS

PUBLIC HEARING 9-64
A public hearing will be held in the Town Hall at 8 pm Feb. 18, 1964, on the application of Wilmington Plaza Inc for authorization to build and operate an incinerator for store waste at 240 Main Street.

Louis E Gage, Chmn.
J30, F6 Board of Appeals

BOARD OF APPEALS

PUBLIC HEARING 10-64
A Public Hearing will be held in the Town Hall on Feb 25th 1964 at 8:00 pm on the application of J & L Realty Trust, 363 Middlesex Avenue to build an industrial building at 361 Middlesex Avenue with insufficient set back and side yard to the zoning by-law.

Louis E. Gage, Chmn.
F6, 13 Board of Appeals

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT

Case No. 41273 Misc.
(SEAL) To all whom it may concern, and to Emma M. Williamson and Mr. Williamson, if any, both now or formerly of Wilmington, in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth, or their heirs, devisees or legal representatives:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Joseph A. DeCampo and Louise M. DeCampo of said Wilmington, to establish their title under a low value deed, under the provisions of G. L. (Ter. Ed.) Chapter 60, Section 80-B, running to John D. Cooke, by instrument dated November 17, 1936, and recorded in the Middlesex North Dist. Registry of Deeds, in Book 892, Page 32; that the petitioners now hold their title under deed from James H. Shannon dated December 2, 1955, and duly recorded with said Registry of Deeds in Book 1319, Page 16, and to require you to show cause why you should not bring action to try any claims which you may have adverse to the petitioners' title arising out of the tax proceedings under which the petitioners' title is based: Said petition covers a parcel of land in said Wilmington bounded and described as follows:

Being Lots 241, 242, 243, containing 10,000 square feet as shown on a plan known as 'Silver Lake Gardens Plan'. Said plan is recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Plan Book 35, Plan 42.

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer under oath setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston (at the Court House) or in the office of the Assistant Recorder of said Court at the Registry of Deeds at Lowell on or before the seventeenth day of February next.

Unless an appearance is so filed by or for you, your default will be recorded, the said petition will be taken as confessed and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or from having or enforcing any claim or claims adverse to the petitioners, their heirs or assigns, in the above described land.

And in addition to the usual service of this notice as required by law, it is ordered that the foregoing citation be published forthwith once each week, for three successive weeks, in the Town Crier a newspaper published in said Wilmington.

Witness, JOHN E. PENTON, Esquire, Judge of said Court this twenty-second day of January 1964.

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J30, F7, F14



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By virtue of and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Joseph R. Russell to Generoso A. Capodilupo and Rose Capodilupo, husband and wife, as tenants by the entirety, dated August 15, 1962, and recorded with Middlesex North District Deeds, Book 1568, page 100, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION February 3, 1964, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon on the premises therein described all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in Wilmington, said Middlesex County, bounded and described as follows:

Being shown as lots 253, 254, 267, 268 and part of lot 266 on plan of Pinegrove Park, Silver Lake, Mass. 1909, recorded with Middlesex North District Deeds, Plan Book 26, Plan 25, and together bounded; Easterly by Main Street as shown on said plan, fifty (50) feet; Southerly by lots 252 and 269 as shown on said plan two hundred (200) feet; West-erly by Main Street, as shown on said plan eighty-seven (87) feet; Northerly by the remaining part of lot 266, one hundred (100) feet; Easterly again by lot 255, twelve (12) feet; and Northerly again by the same, one hundred (100) feet. Containing 11,200 square feet of land be any or all said measurements more or less.

Being the same premises conveyed to me by deed of said Generoso A. Capodilupo et ux by deed of even date to be recorded herewith.

Said premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes tax titles and Municipal liens, if any.

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HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS HAVE LEFT FOR THE SERVICES: Six of the Wilmington High School seniors who have reported for duty with the Armed Forces of the United States, this week; as they appeared after receiving their clearance, last week in school. James Laurin, who joined the US Army, is not among those shown.

Front: L to R: Thomas Pellerin (US Air Force); Paul Cassidy, (US Air Force) and John O'Hara (US Navy).

Rear: Stanley Marr (US Navy), Jimmy O'Hara (US Marine Corps) and Paul Call (US Navy).

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ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT OF LINDA CALHOUN

Mr and Mrs Thomas A Calhoun of 37 Columbia Street Wilmington have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Linda M. Calhoun, to Private George R Szadis, son of Mr and Mrs George J Szadis of 15 Lloyd Road, Wilmington.

Miss Calhoun is now a student at Northeastern University, as a biology major.

Private Szadis is enrolled in the Radar Center School, at Fort Monmouth, NJ

No date has been set for the wedding.

WILMINGTON JC'S LAUNCH SOAP FOR HONG KONG DRIVE

Dr. Turpin, a recipient of the outstanding young man award by the U.S. Jay Cee's for his work with the floating hospital in Hong Kong has appealed for local help to obtain soap, something we take for granted, but badly needed in his work. Barrels for soap contributions will be placed in local stores. Every bar will help!

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR THEODORE J HARKINS

Theodore J Harkins, 70, the husband of Helena (Lane) Harkins of 9 Marjorie Road, died on January 31st in the Tewksbury Hospital, after a lingering illness.

A retired lumberman, he was a native of Everett, and had lived in Wilmington for the past 28 years. He is survived by three children, George of North Dartmouth, William, and Mrs Helena Boucher, both of Wilmington. There are four grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

The funeral was held from the W S Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home 374 Main Street, on February 3rd at 8:15 am. A High Mass of Requiem was celebrated at Saint Dorothy's Church at 9 am by the Rev. John McNeil. Burial followed in the family lot in Wildwood Cemetery, with Father McNeil offering the committal prayers.

The pall bearers were George Harkins Jr., William Sabiano, William Harkins Jr., and William Foster.

GILLIS APPOINTS ASSISTANTS IN HEART FUND DRIVE

Daniel A Gillis, Planning Board member, and Wilmington Heart Drive Chairman, has announced the appointment of area chairmen.

Mrs Wanda Dion, Marjorie Road, is to chairman the Silver Lake section, and other area chairmen are Mrs Mary Lockamon, 18 Salem Street, Mrs Wallace Moore, West Street, Mrs John Murphy, 5 Carson Avenue, Mrs Daniel O'Keeffe, 5 Columbia Road, Mrs Robert Ross, 26 Oakridge Circle, and Mrs Christine Stratos, 31 High Street.

WILMINGTON METHODIST CHURCH

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Minister: The Rev. Terry Clay Thomason. Assistant: The Rev. Joel C Underwood. Minister of Visitation: The Rev. Willard C. Arnold.

ARTHUR TOMKINSON SERVICES TUESDAY

Arthur W Tomkinson, 73 years old, for over 30 years a resident of Ballardvale Street, died, in Sanford Florida, on January 30th.

He is survived by his wife, Emma Babine Tomkinson. The couple had been living on Edwards Street, in Tewksbury, for the past several years.

Funeral services were held on February 4th from the McMahon Funeral Home, Middlesex Avenue, at 9:15 am, with a Requiem High Mass at St. Dorothy's Church at 10 am., celebrated by the Rev. Joseph Leahy. The pall bearers were Melvin Doucette, Richard Surrrette, Paul Nolan, and Pierre Antonelli.

Burial was in the family lot in Woodlawn Cemetery, Everett, with Father Leahy reading the committal prayers.

A native of Chelsea, Mr Tomkinson had retired from the Chelsea Fire Department many years ago, because of injuries received in the line of duty.

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